

## Sampson County, N.C. Newspapers

Sampson was formed in 1784 from Duplin. Clinton is the county seat. (North Carolina Manual, 1991-1992, edited by Julie W. Snee. Raleigh, North Carolina Secretary of State, n.d.)

### Clinton, N.C. Newspapers

The Caucasian

Began in 1889?

Earliest known issue: February 28, 1889

Ceased in 1913

Last known issue: May 15, 1913

OCLC #24090058

Continues: Weekly Caucasian

Absorbed: Farmers' Advocate (Tarboro, N.C.),

and: Raleigh Enterprise (Raleigh, N.C.)

Published in Goldsboro: Feb. 2, 1893 - Dec. 13, 1894

Published in Raleigh: Dec. 27, 1894 - end

Absorbed by: Union Republican (Winston-Salem, N.C.)

The Clinton Caucasian

Earliest known issue: Jan. 13, 1898

Last known issue: Feb. 24, 1898

OCLC #26610598

The Clinton Independent

Began in 1856

Earliest known issue: Sept. 24, 1856

Ceased in 1858

Last known issue: Feb. 2, 1858

OCLC #24117954

The Clinton Reporter

Began in 1873

Earliest known issue: Oct. 2, 1873

Last known issue: Jan. 8, 1874

OCLC #24117974

Daily Caucasian

Began in 1895

Earliest known issue: Jan. 15, 1895

Ceased in 1895

Last known issue: Mar. 14, 1895

OCLC #24090083

The News Dispatch

Began in 1908

Earliest known issue: Nov. 4, 1909

Ceased in March 1924

Last known issue: Dec. 20, 1917

OCLC #24130134

Merged with: Sampson Democrat, to form: News Dispatch, the Sampson Democrat

The News Dispatch, the Sampson Democrat

Began in 1924

Earliest and last known issue: Mar. 6, 1924

Ceased in 1924

OCLC #25761978

Formed by the union of: Sampson Democrat, and: News Dispatch

Continued by: Sampson Independent

The Sampson Democrat

Began in 1892

Earliest known issue: Oct. 20, 1892

Ceased in 1924

Last known issue: Feb. 28, 1924

OCLC #11472245

Absorbed: Pender Star (Burgaw, N.C.)

Merged with: News Dispatch, to form: News Dispatch, the Sampson Democrat

The Sampson Independent

Began in 1924

Earliest known issue: Mar. 27, 1924

Last known issue: Dec. 31, 1993

OCLC #13264721

Continues: News Dispatch, the Sampson Democrat

Absorbed: Sampsonian

Currently published

The Sampson News

Began in 1930

Earliest known issue: Feb. 19, 1930

Last known issue: May 19, 1955

OCLC #24154212

The Sampsonian

Began in 1934?

Earliest known issue: Jan. 1, 1957

Ceased in 1976

Last known issue: Apr. 22, 1976

OCLC #31854313

Absorbed by: Sampson Independent

The Weekly Caucasian

Began in 1882

Earliest known issue: Mar. 13, 1884

Ceased in 1889?

Last known issue: Mar. 1, 1888

OCLC #24090027

Continued by: Caucasian